



Attorney Docket No.: 05058/66601

#16
BA 2/28/03

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re

U.S. application of:

Naohiro KAGEYAMA, Yasuhiko TAKEDA,
Yoko SOGABE and Katsuyuki NANBA

For:

ELECTRONIC CAMERA WITH
DYNAMIC OUTPUT CONTROL

U.S. Serial No.:

09/047,676

Confirmation No.:

3496

Filed:

March 25, 1998

Examiner:

Tuan V. Ho

Group Art Unit:

2612

RECEIVED
FEB 27 2003
Technology Center 2600

Box RCE

Assistant Commissioner

for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

EXPRESS MAIL MAILING LABEL NO.: EV 047875713 US

DATE OF DEPOSIT: FEBRUARY 20, 2003

I hereby certify that this paper or fee is being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 C.F.R. § 1.10 on the date indicated above and is addressed to BOX RCE, Assistant Commissioner For Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

Derrick T. Gordon

Name of Person Mailing Paper or Fee

Derrick T. Gordon

Signature

February 20, 2003

Date of Signature

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)

PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

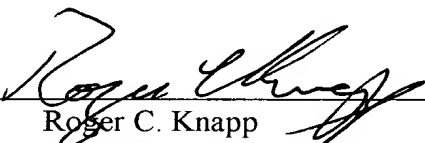
This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE), of Application Serial No. 09/047,676 filed on March 25, 1998, by Naohiro KAGEYAMA, Yasuhiko TAKEDA, Yoko SOGABE and Katsuyuki NANBA, entitled ELECTRONIC CAMERA WITH DYNAMIC OUTPUT CONTROL.

A Petition for Three-Month Extension of Time, extending the response period to February 22, 2003, is being filed concurrently herewith.

Please enter the Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, filed concurrently herewith, wherein claims 1, 11 and 16 incorporate new amendments.

A Response Transmittal and Fee Authorization form authorizing the amount of \$1,680.00 (\$750.00 for the filing fee for a Request for Continued Examination (RCE), and the three month extension fee of \$930 under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(3)), to be charged to Sidley Austin Brown & Wood LLP's Deposit Account No. 18-1260 is enclosed herewith in duplicate. However, if the Response Transmittal and Fee Authorization form is missing, insufficient, or otherwise inadequate, or if a fee, other than the issue fee, is required during the pendency of this application, please charge such fee to Sidley Austin Brown & Wood LLP's Deposit Account No. 18-1260. Please credit any overpayment to Sidley Austin Brown & Wood LLP's Deposit Account No. 18-1260.

Respectfully submitted,

By: 
Roger C. Knapp
Registration No. 46,836
Attorney for Applicants

RCK/rb
SIDLEY AUSTIN BROWN & WOOD LLP
717 North Harwood
Suite 3400
Dallas, Texas 75201-6507
Main: 214-981-3300
Direct: 214-981-3335
Facsimile: 214-981-3400
February 20, 2003



62-24-03

RCE/2700 ✓\$

RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL AND FEE AUTHORIZATION

ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.: 05058/66601		SERIAL NO.: 09/047,676	
FILING DATE: March 25, 1998	Confirmation No: 3496	EXAMINER TUAN V. HO	GROUP ART UNIT: 2612
INVENTOR(S): NAOHIRO KAGEYAMA, YASUHIKO TAKEDA, YOKO SOGABE AND KATSUYUKI NANBA			
TITLE OF INVENTION: ELECTRONIC CAMERA WITH DYNAMIC OUTPUT CONTROL			

BOX RCE

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
WASHINGTON, DC 20231TRANSMITTED HEREWITH FOR THE ABOVE IDENTIFIED
PATENT APPLICATION IS:

- ☒ (A) A response to the Office Action dated: August 22, 2002
- ☒ (B) A Petition for Extension of Time (\$930.00)
☐ for 1 month ☐ for 2 months ☒ for 3 months;
A Petition for Extension of Time, having been previously filed,
☐ for 1 month ☐ for 2 months ☐ for 3 months
- ☐ (C) A request for approval of proposed drawing changes.
- ☐ (D) A response to the Advisory Action dated:
- ☐ (E) An Appellant's Brief on Appeal.
- ☒ (F) Other: Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 (\$750)
- ☐ (G) A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR §§ 1.9 and 1.27
- ☐ Small entity status under 37 CFR § 1.27 has been previously established
- ☐ The claims fee, if any, has been calculated as shown below

EXPRESS MAIL MAILING LABEL NO.: EV 047875713 US
DATE OF DEPOSIT: FEBRUARY 20, 2003

I hereby certify that this paper or fee is being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 C.F.R. § 1.10 on the date indicated above and is addressed to BOX RCE, Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

Derrick T. Gordon

Name of Person Mailing Paper or Fee

Signature

FEBRUARY 20, 2003

Date of Signature

Technology Center 2600

FEB 27 2003

RECEIVED

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
TOTAL		MINUS		
INDEP.		MINUS		
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM				

SMALL ENTITY

RATE	ADD'L FEE
x \$9	\$
x \$42	
+ \$140	
TOTAL ADD'L FEE	\$ 0.00

LARGE ENTITY

RATE	ADD'L FEE
x \$18	\$
x \$84	
+ \$280	
TOTAL ADD'L FEE	\$ 0.00

OR

- ☒ Please charge \$ 1,680 to Sidley Austin Brown & Wood LLP's Deposit Account No. 18-1260, which includes
☐ the amount of \$ for the claims fee calculated above AND/OR
☒ the amount of \$1,680 for the fee for item(s) ☒ (B) ☐ (D) ☐ (E) ☒ (F), *supra*
- ☒ Please charge any additional fees (other than issue fee) required during the pendency of this application to Deposit Account No. 18-1260. Please credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 18-1260.
- ☒ A duplicate copy of this Response Transmittal and Fee Authorization is enclosed.

February 20, 2003

SIDLEY AUSTIN BROWN & WOOD LLP
717 N. Harwood, Suite 3400
Dallas, Texas 75201
Main: (214) 981-3300
Direct: (214) 981-3335
Facsimile: (214) 981-3400

By:

Roger C. Knapp
Attorney for Applicants
Registration No. 46,836